



# Clifty Falls State Park September 1-15, 2008

Nature Center open Wed-Sun 12-4pm, Sat. 9am-4pm EDT *unless posted otherwise*. Center closed Mon-Tue.

**Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult. • Pets not allowed on programs.**

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## Labor Day Holiday

**Nature Center Is Open.**

### Monday, September 1

**9am Vulture Watch!** The vulture is one misunderstood bird! Meet at the Center and hike to the tower for good looks at "buzzards".

**12pm Quest Pin Program Assist**

**2pm Monarchs In The Making**

Discover the amazing "promise" in the caterpillar of the beautiful butterfly to come!

At the park Nature Center.

### Tue - Wed. September 2-3

**Center Closed.** The gathering birds are moving south. Watch and listen to the cycle of the seasons.

### Thursday, September 4

**9am Fossil Frenzy!** Moderate hike to the Highbridge fossil bed on the entrance hill for a peak into the park's remote marine past. Meet at the Nature Center.

### Friday, September 5

**11am Nature's Nasties!**

You'll appreciate the scoop on flora and fauna that can spoil a day afield. At the Nature Center.

**6pm Roving Naturalist.** Campers!

The roving naturalist brings fresh news on nature and fall programs!

### Saturday, September 6

**10am IN-Shape Discovery Hike!**

Begins/ends at the park pool bath house. Moderate 2.2 mile hike to enjoy nature and stay in shape! Includes drawing for one IDNR 2008 Annual Entrance Permit and other prizes. For more info on the INShape program go to [www.in.gov/inshape](http://www.in.gov/inshape)!

**2pm Tunnelin' Underground!** Cool, muddy, underground history hike.

Bring a light, meet at Oak Grove.

**8:30pm Clifty Holler Owl Hoot!**

We'll hoot at'em and hope they hoot back! Bring flashlights. Meets at the Campground Office parking lot.

### Sunday, September 7

**12pm Quest Pin Program Assist**

**2pm Snakes Holes and Other**

**Stories!** Fact & fancy about the cold-blooded critters that are getting set to snooze through winter. At the Nature Center.

### Mon. - Tue. September 8-9

**Nature Center Closed.** Savor a quiet walk through Clifty's upland woods as summer wanes.

### Wednesday, September 10

**2pm Discover Wildlife!** Enjoy National Wildlife Federation's colorful "habitats" slide show at the Nature Center, lasts thirty minutes.

### Thursday, September 11

**10am Wildflower**

**Walk!** Boneset and wingstem lighten the load "walking down the flower road"! Meets at the Pool parking lot.



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### Friday, September 12

**12pm Quest Pin Program Assist**

**6pm The Roving Naturalist!**

Watch for our roving naturalist with info for a more enjoyable park visit.

### Saturday, September 13

**8:30am Bird Walk** Easy walk looking for birds of the upland.

Meets at the Nature Center.

**10am Rails To Trails Hike!**

Explore the handiwork of Hoosiers long ago in this semi-rugged hike of Clifty's 1850's railroad project. Starts/ends at Lilly Memorial; lasts till lunch.

**12pm Quest Pin Program Assist**

**2pm Catch & Keep Fall Colors!**

Outstanding leaf printing nature craft brings out autumn's colors. Family fun meets at the Center.

**8pm Coyote Call Night Hike!**

Bring flashlights and your best imitation coyote howl. Meets at the Campground Office.

### Sunday, September 14

**10am Relax, Reflect, Refocus**

Join us at the nature center for an introduction to nature journaling.

**12pm Quest Pin Program Assist**

**2pm Snakes Alive!** Get acquainted with our resident sssnakes! Mercy! Takes place at the Nature Center.

### Mon - Tue. September 15-16

**Center Closed.** Persimmons and wild grape are ripening... birds are flocking... squirrels and deer are putting on winter fat. Summer fades the enduring cycle continues.



**Quest Pins for Parks and Reservoirs...** Ask the Interpreters!